

**IN THE HIGH COURT OF JUDICATURE AT BOMBAY**  
**NAGPUR BENCH : NAGPUR**

**CIVIL APPLICATION NO. 1496 OF 2023 IN**  
**CROSS-OBJECTION ST. NO. 22885 OF 2023 IN**  
**FIRST APPEAL NO. 325 OF 2022**

Deputy Chief Engineer and anr.

..vs..

Smt. Surekha Prabhakar (Dead) thr. LR's

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Office Notes, Office Memoranda of Coram,  
appearances, Court's orders of directions  
and Registrar's orders  
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Court's or Judge's orders  
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Shri Navlani, Advocate for the Cross-objector/applicant.  
Shri M.M. Agnihotri, Advocate with Shri G.R. Kothari, Advocate  
for claimant.  
Shri Pathan, A.G.P. for the State.

**CORAM : VINAY JOSHI AND M.W.CHANDWANI, JJ.**  
**DATED : 20/12/2023.**

Heard.

2. This is an application seeking for condonation of delay of 537 days in filing the cross-objection.

3. Issue notice to the respondents, returnable on 01.02.2024. Learned A.G.P. appearing for the State and learned Counsel appearing for the claimant, waive notice.

**CIVIL APPLICATION NO.1497 OF 2023**

Heard.

2. This is an application seeking to stay the execution of impugned Award. It is submitted that the Authority has granted compensation at excessive and exorbitant rate.

3. The execution of impugned judgment and

decree is stayed subject to the appellant depositing entire decreetal amount within twelve weeks from today.

(M.W.CHANDWANI, J.)

(VINAY JOSHI, J.)

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